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Title: MULTI-VENDOR INTERNET  
COMMERCE SYSTEM FOR E-COMMERCE  
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**AMENDMENT A**

Box Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 30, 2002, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**In the Specification:**

On page 5, after line 9, please insert the following:

**"Brief Description of the Drawings**

Fig. 1 illustrates a simplified representation of a prior art e-commerce arrangement.

Fig. 2 illustrates a multi-vendor Internet commerce system.

Fig. 3 illustrates an exemplary implementation of a multi-vendor Internet commerce system.

Fig. 4 is a flow chart of the steps taken when a universal shopping cart command is received.